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AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION

Nineteenth Annual Meeting Now in Session at Saratoga.

EMINENT ENGLISHMEN PRESENT!

Sir Charles Russell, Lord Chief Justice of the Queen's Bench, Taking an Active Part in the Deliberations of the Eminent Legal Assembly.

SARATOGA, Aug. 20.—There was a large attendance in the convention hall at the opening of the nineteenth annual meeting of the American Bar association yesterday.

When Lord Russell, Sir Francis Lockwood and Montague Crickenthorne, together with their ladies, entered the hall they were greeted with hearty applause. Judge George S. Hatchcock escorted them to seats at the front and near the plat-



Lord Chief Justice Russell.

form. The president of the association, Moorefield Storey, conducted Lord Russell, Sir Francis Lockwood and Montague Crickenthorne to seats on the platform. Among others honored with seats on the platform were J. Randolph Tucker, Edward H. Phelps, William Allen Butler, Henry Hitchcock, Austin G. Fox, Charles Clifton Allen, Francis Rawle and James C. Carter.

President Storey delivered his annual address, and then the executive committee's report was read, showing that 88 new members had been admitted and that the total membership is now 1,342. Addresses were made by Chancellor Emilius McCain, of Iowa State university; Professor Blawett Lee, of Northwestern university, and others, and a paper prepared by Professor C. M. Campbell, of the University of Colorado, was read by Professor Russell, of New York university. Today an address on "International Law" was delivered by Lord Russell.

Ex-Empress Eugenie's Heiress.

PARIS, Aug. 20.—It is stated that the will of ex-Empress Eugenie, drawn recently, favors her namesake, Eugenie, the daughter of the late Prince of Battenburg and Princess Beatrice. The daughter of Princess Beatrice will thus be placed in the unique position of being the beneficiary of the wills of two queens, Queen Victoria having recently bequeathed, it is said, the bulk of her private savings, amounting to \$1,500,000, to Princess Beatrice, her favorite daughter, together with Osborne and Balmoral, both residences being the private property of the royal mother.

Canada's Parliament Reopened.

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 20.—There was a large crowd at the opening of parliament yesterday. Not only was the crowd of spectators larger than in any past years, but the attendance of members and senators was also greater. There was no excitement and everything passed off quietly. Premier Laurier, in a short speech, proposed the Hon. J. D. Edgar as speaker, and while Sir Charles Tupper regretted that a Frenchman had not been selected, he made no other objections. Mr. Edgar replied first in English and afterward in French.

Dr. Nansen's Next Arctic Trip.

CHRISTIANA, Aug. 20.—The Aften Posten announces that Dr. Nansen will not again attempt to reach the North Pole in a ship built upon the lines of the Fram. Dr. Nansen, however, says that he will perhaps conduct a sledging party which will attempt to make a dash from Franz Josef land north in the direction of the pole. In the light of his recent discoveries and his observations in the Arctic circle Dr. Nansen is of the opinion that it would not be difficult, certainly not impossible, to reach the North Pole in this fashion.

A Youthful Cigarette Victim.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 20.—George Elwell, a 14-year-old newsboy, died yesterday as the result of excessive cigarette smoking. He is said to have been an inveterate smoker. On Tuesday, as the result of a wager, the boy smoked nineteen cigarettes in half an hour. During the night he was taken seriously ill at his home, and died in great agony.

Woman Waylaid by Tramps.

LEBANON, Pa., Aug. 20.—While Miss May Moyer, a music teacher, residing at Union Deposit, was driving to Campbells town, she was held up by tramps at Forney's line kiln. One of the men grabbed the horse while another attempted to drag the young woman from the buggy. Fortunately Miss Moyer succeeded in lashing the horse. This caused him to leap forward, and the man who held the bridle was knocked down. When she reached her destination she was prostrated by the shock.

Kendrick House Free Lunch.

Mock turtle soup to-night.
Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

Filling up a Street.

Supervisor Llewellyn has commenced raising lower street to grade from the Lehigh Valley railroad to Coal street. The street must be filled to an average depth of a foot, and in some places to a depth of two feet.

BRYAN'S "QUIET RIDE."

It Ends in a Demonstration by the Citizens of Rhinebeck.

UPPER RED HOOK, N. Y., Aug. 20.—Yesterday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Bryan started out with their host and the usual train of newspaper men for "a quiet drive." It ended, as usual, in a brass band hurrah time at Rhinebeck, a place of 1,200 inhabitants, about twelve miles from here, where the candidate stopped for supper. The party after leaving Red Hook drove by the beautiful river residence of the Astors, Chanlers and other wealthy public people until they reached the home of Governor Levi P. Morton at "Ellerslie." By the governor's orders the party was conducted through the immense stock farm and dairy, and the system of sterilizing milk was displayed. The residence was then inspected and the party took carriages and went down to Jacob A. Ruppert's summer place.

Returning, a stop was made at an open air church picnic, where the party was halted and asked to come in. They went in, Mr. Bryan paying for the party. At Rhinebeck half a hundred people were in waiting when the party alighted. The Hotel Rhinebeck, presided over by a Republican, was decorated with bunting, and as the party dined the crowd grew larger. In a very short time it was decided to give a welcome to the candidate, and George Escelsien, a Republican, was selected to welcome Mr. Bryan in a purely social way to the village.

A brass band played in front of the hotel and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan, having finished supper, received a number of people on the hotel piazza. There were cheers when the silver candidate came to the front of the balcony to speak. He was frequently interrupted with applause, his speech being practically an appeal for thoughtful consideration and a free use of the ballot according to conscience.

Leonard Nominated for Congress.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Aug. 20.—At the Republican county convention yesterday Frederick C. Leonard, of Potter county, was all but unanimously made the nominee for congress from the Sixteenth district. This places two Republican congressional candidates in the field. The Ligonier conference, who voted for Packard on Tuesday, were censured for knowingly and wilfully violating the party rules, and their action was severely denounced. The nominees for assembly are J. R. Corryell, John W. King and J. C. Wilson.

New York's Gold Democrats' Convention.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—The sub-committee of the new Democratic party organization has issued a call for a state convention to be held at Syracuse on Monday, Aug. 31, to choose delegates to the convention of the National Democratic party at Indianapolis and to nominate or provide for the nomination of presidential electors, governor and other state officers, to be chosen at the next election, or to take such action in the premises as the convention may determine to be advisable.

A Midsummer Snow Storm.

CATSKILL, N. Y., Aug. 20.—Following the record of the unprecedented heat, this section was visited by a snow storm. Sunday night the thermometer took a sudden drop, and it has been getting colder. The midday snow storm was a great surprise to the guests at the Hotel Kaaterskill and the natives here.

At Breen's Rialto Cafe.

Oyster and clam soup will be served as free lunch to-morrow morning. Plenty for everybody.
Meals served at all hours.

The Report Denied.

The strike on the part of the employees of the Adams Express Company, in New York and Jersey City, caused a report to be circulated in town that an employee of the company here had joined the strikers. There is apparently no truth in the rumor, which was occasioned no doubt by a recent change in the driver here.

Brennan's New Restaurant.

Ox tail soup to-night.
Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

Property Improvements.

The old dwelling at the northeast corner of Jordan and Lloyd streets, owned by John Roberts, has been razed and will be replaced at once by a handsome residence supplied with all modern improvements. The old dwelling was one of the landmarks of the town and has withstood the storms for twenty-three years.

At Kepchinski's Arcade Cafe.

Liver and onions to-night.
Hot lunch to-morrow morning.
Meals served at all hours.

Will Give Another Chance.

At a meeting of the Barber's Protective Association on Tuesday night it was decided to prosecute Abe Gluski, of South Main street, and Peter Simons, of East Centre street, for violating the Sunday laws in shaving customers on that day, but it was decided yesterday to give the accused another chance and warn them against future violations.

Wood's College.

The College will re-open Monday, August 24th, in both day and night sessions. Two new teachers have been added, one in the Business department and one in the English department.

The new text-book prepared for Wood's College contains everything that is new and good in book-keeping and will be ready September 1st.

Visitors are cordially invited to call and see the school.

Hickert's Cafe.

Our free lunch to-morrow morning will consist of nice clam soup.

Will Locate Here Again.

H. C. Boyer, now of Reading, announces that he will locate in town again. He has rented one of the residences on South Jordan street owned by Marshall Myers and his family will move into it after some alterations and improvements are made on the property.

Pay only your own bills. In dealing here the cash customer is not taxed to help support the credit customers who do not pay. Here all are one level. All are cash.
7-18-1f
FACTORY SHOE STORE.

AN ALLEGED CONSPIRACY.

A Clue to Some of the Uncalled For Outrages.

INVESTIGATION IS BEING MADE.

It is Claimed That Fines and Costs For Violations of the Law Are Paid Out of a General Fund and Many Saloon Brawls Are Premeditated.

It is stated upon reliable information that steps are being taken to get at the bottom of a report that there is in existence in this and other towns of the coal region an organization among the Polish and Lithuanian people intended to promote conspiracies and other unlawful purposes and that when sufficient facts are gleaned they will be placed before the county authorities for the purpose of having prosecutions entered. Of course the parties against whom the movement is directed are of the lower and reckless classes of the nationalities named and this being the case make the argument in favor of the investigation so much the stronger, as it is claimed that the conspiring parties belong of unfavourable, or doubtful reputations can have no good purpose in combining as reported. It is not known that they have a regularly organized society and are governed by any declared rules, or laws, but the developments of the past are convincing that they are guided by some understanding verbal or otherwise.

Suspicion was first directed to the matter through developments in cases before the Justices of the Peace in town. Time and again men have been arrested and charged with atrociously assaulting some unoffending person and when given a hearing the accused have frankly admitted that they committed the assault but that a mistake in identity had been made and the victim had suffered for some one else. Immediately after entering bail friends of the prisoners begin overtures for settlement and the costs of the case, together with doctor bill and payment to the victim for lost time, are cheerfully made.

It is now alleged that such assaults are in most instances not mistakes, but intentional attacks to avenge some wrong, imaginary or otherwise, to some friend, or friend of the men who beat the victims and that in almost every instance the costs and damages are paid out of a general fund which is refreshed whenever necessary by a general assessment.

In confirmation of this it is also stated that when the mistaken identity dodge is not resorted to the general saloon row is called into play. The method of carrying out the second plan is this: the men to be punished are watched for on a pay night, generally, and through some well devised means induced to enter one of a certain class of saloons. General conviviality is indulged in for a while until the intended victims are thrown off their guard and then the work of vengeance, or rather pure wickedness, begins. Somebody calls for drinks for the house and as quick as the last glass is filled the lights in the saloon are turned out. The signal for fight to begin is the cry, "Who turned out the lights?"

It is no sooner given than the beer glasses commence to fly and a few minutes later the victims of the conspiracy are either laid out senseless on the floor, or sprawling in the mud in the street. It has been observed that in almost every instance where desperate fights have taken place in saloons a fresh supply of beer has been placed on the bar, and for no other purpose than to place implements in the hands of those who are to assault and give the affair an appearance of sudden wrath. The cry referred to is also said to precede almost every fight. The police of town say they know of at least two saloons where conspiracies of this kind are common. One is on East Centre street and the other on South Main street. It is only recently, however, that their eyes have been opened to the true condition and it was not until they themselves were almost trapped that a clue was discovered. Several prominent people of the nationalities stated have expressed a willingness to aid any movement to break up the evil. They are prompted by sympathy for friends who have suffered.

Found in Wilkinson's.

Last evening a sum of money was found near the dress goods counter. Owner can have same by calling at our store, proving ownership and paying for this advertisement.
8-20-1f
L. J. WILKINSON.

Prosecutors Muted.

William Montalawicz and Stiney Donalawicz appeared before Justice Curdin last night and after telling a story of a fight they had on Saturday night, last, swore out a warrant for the arrest of two men, but after hearing the evidence the Justice dismissed the complaint and put the \$6.50 costs on the prosecutors.

New Sons of Veteran Camp.

On Tuesday of next week Senior Vice Commander John Frazer will go to Pottsville and muster in a new camp Sons of Veterans, with a membership of one hundred. Delegates will be present from the Shamokin, Mt. Carmel, Mahanoy City and Minersville camps.

Brought Back to His Home.

Frank Mullaley, a boy 13 years of age, who ran away from his home on East Centre street last Friday, was brought back last night. His mother found him with friends at Cimbola yesterday.

Squeezed Between Cars.

Edward James, of West Oak street, and employed to sprag cars on the trestle at the Shenandoah City colliery, was caught between cars yesterday afternoon and had his right leg badly bruised above the knee.

The Case Settled.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company yesterday effected a settlement with Mrs. Barr, of Towanda, who was injured in the wreck at Pond Creek some weeks ago. It is said she received \$1,000.

Local Music In Demand.

The orchestra connected with the First Lithuanian Band, of town, left this morning for Wilkesbarre where it will furnish dancing music for a two-day Lithuanian festival.

Hammocks.

We will not carry any Hammocks over winter. So if you want one cheap call this week. We have a few in cotton, jute and Mexican.

GIRVIN'S
8 S. Main Street.

The Dumping Ground Ready.

The new public dumping ground, near the Indian Ridge colliery has been thrown open to teamsters. The fence was completed yesterday. It consists of posts eight feet high placed eight feet apart with one-inch steel wire stretched from one to another. Several signs have been put up at the grounds giving notice that persons dumping refuse within twenty feet of the fence on the inside will be subject to a fine. The dump at the west end of Lloyd street has been abandoned. The original intention was to allow only clean refuse to be dumped at this place and thus gradually extend the street, but many teamsters have abused the privilege by carting all kinds of refuse to the place and it has become necessary to stop the dumping to avoid the creation of a nuisance to the residents in that part of the town.

Store and Dwelling For Rent.

The store and dwelling, No. 23 South Main street, formerly occupied by L. J. Wilkinson, is for rent. Apply at WILKINSON'S, Cor. Main and Lloyd Sts.
8-20-1f

Gone to Meet the Governor.

Mine Inspectors Stein, of town; Eskerick, of Hazleton, and Brennan, of Shamokin, left this morning for Harrisburg to meet Governor Hastings, upon the latter's invitation, and consult on the investigation made of the Twin Shaft disaster at Pittston, and the preparation of the official report.

The truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth. That's our motto; and we add leather, solid leather and nothing but leather. That's the way our shoes are built.
7-18-1f
FACTORY SHOE STORE.

Sunday Schools Picnic.

The joint picnic of the English Baptist, Welsh Baptist, Welsh Methodist and Welsh Congregational Sunday schools drew a large crowd to Lakoside this morning. About five hundred children and adults participated in it.

Great Hosiery Bargain.

An imported line of the finest German and French hosiery is offered at our hosiery counter for 25c. per pair. They are the finest fleeced-lined cotton and best cashmere wool and would regularly sell for 50 to 75c. per pair.
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